

MIRROR











**THE**

**MIRROR**

**1961**



Tonica Community High School





Tonica, Ill.





## **DEDICATION**

We the 1961 Staff dedicate our "Mirror" to Mrs. Esther Earles because of her never-tiring effort to aid in the efficient management of our school. She is kind, considerate, and helpful and is always willing to be a "friend" when needed. We take this opportunity to say THANK YOU.



D. A. R.



Judith Strack

ATHLETICS



Greg Fritz

MUSIC



Ruth Dart

## OUTSTANDING STUDENTS

VALEDICTORIAN



Janice Burgess

SALUTATORIAN



Kathleen Cooper

BETTY CROCKER AWARD



Janice Burgess

F. F. A.



James Goodbred

HOMEMAKER



June Siemers





Rosemary Bernardoni



Daniel Vargochik



Karen Cabal



Diana Clayburn



Kathleen Cooper



Ruth Ellyn Dart



James Sons



Janet Farneti

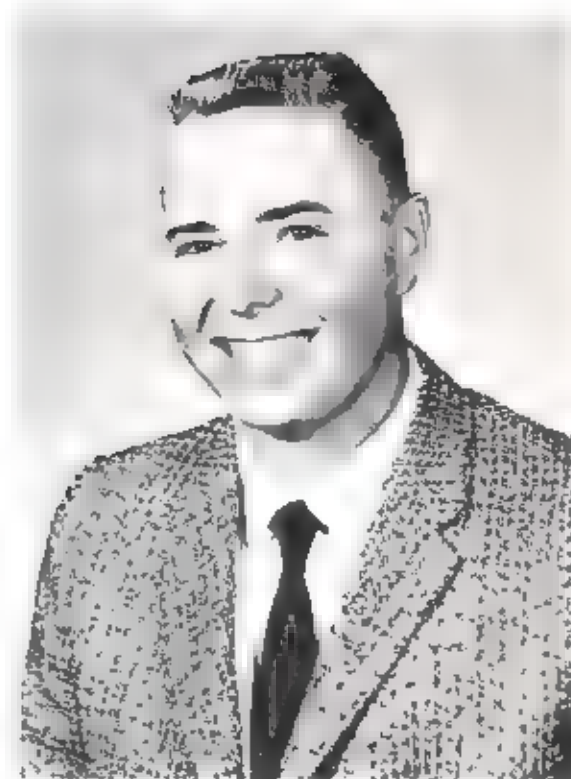




Kent Zimmerman



Olivia Frangenberg



Greg Fritz



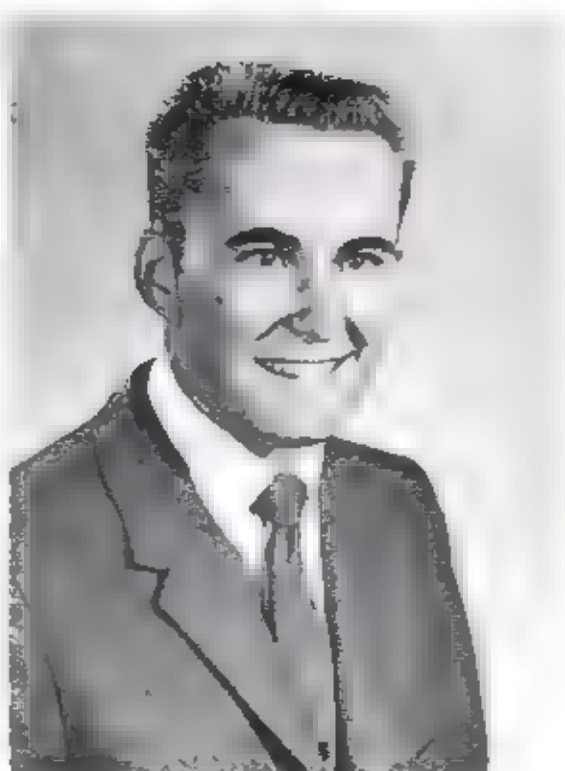
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Sandra McLaughlin



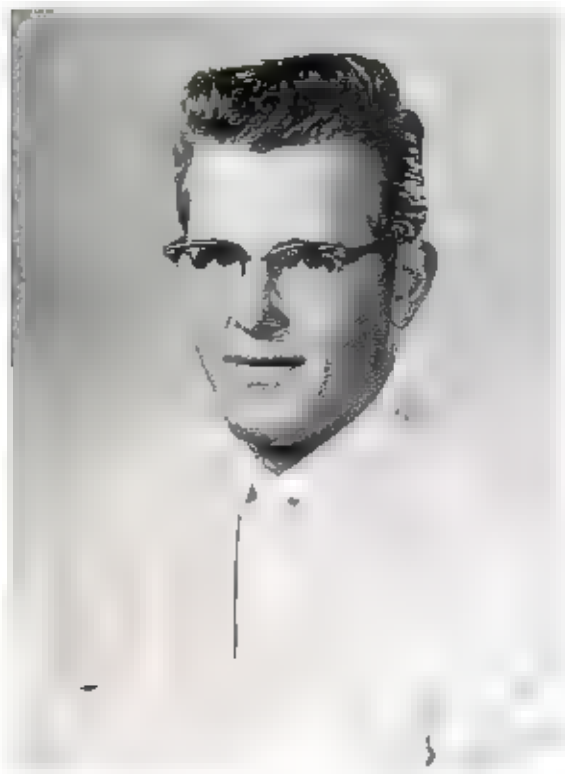
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Richard Ploch



Sharon Schmitt



Larry Joe Smith



Sandra Siemers



Tony Skinner



Carol Siemers



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Judith Strack



Fred Topolski

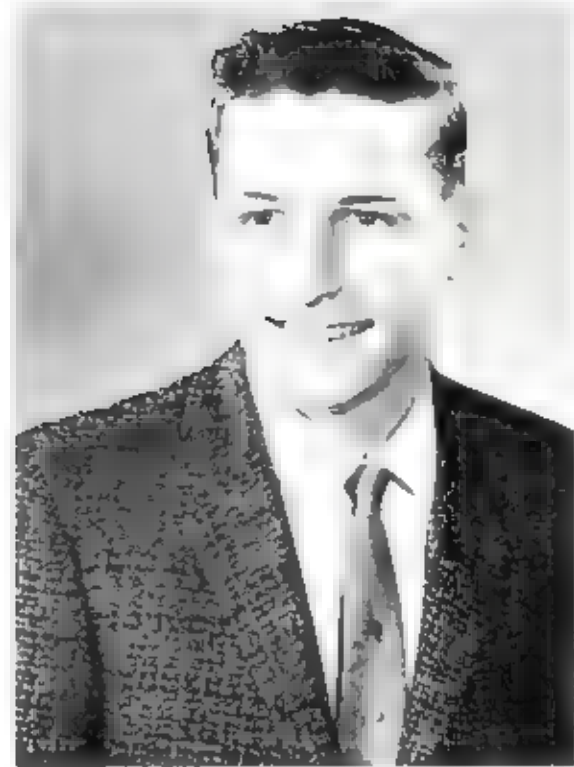


Janice Burgess





Jerry Frangenberg  
Senior Class President



Duane Dauber  
Student Council President

## TONICA COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR CLASS OF 1961

CLASS COLOR ----- Blue and Silver

CLASS FLOWER ----- Yellow Rose

CLASS MOTTO ----- "Small the diploma, but mighty the effort to win it."



### OFFICERS

President--Jerry Frangenberg  
Vice-President--Jim Sons  
Secretary--Judy Strack  
Treasurer--Janice Burgess  
Reporter--Katy Cooper  
Advisor--Mr. Reback



Front Row: Jean Barr, Phyliss Fetzer, Kathy Sons, Alice Brown, Gail Schmitt, Judy Walgenbach, Linda Woolcox. Second Row: Linda Kreiser, Richard Minick, Barbara Frederick, Gerald Whalen, Sharon Terrill, Nancy Ringer, Roberta Clearwater, Loretta Topolski. Third Row: Ruth Johnson, Darlene Harseim, Ruth Redenius, Sandra Pryde, Bonnie Brady, Sam Calkins, June Siemers, Betty Burgess. Fourth Row: Jim Ebner, Robert Siemers, Dennis Killen, Duane Schafer, Joe Olson, Dale Jaegle, Ray Smith, David Aschinger; Bill Sherman, Not Pictured.

## CLASS OF 1962

### OFFICERS



Work of Art???



President--Jim Ebner

Treasurer--Kathy Sons

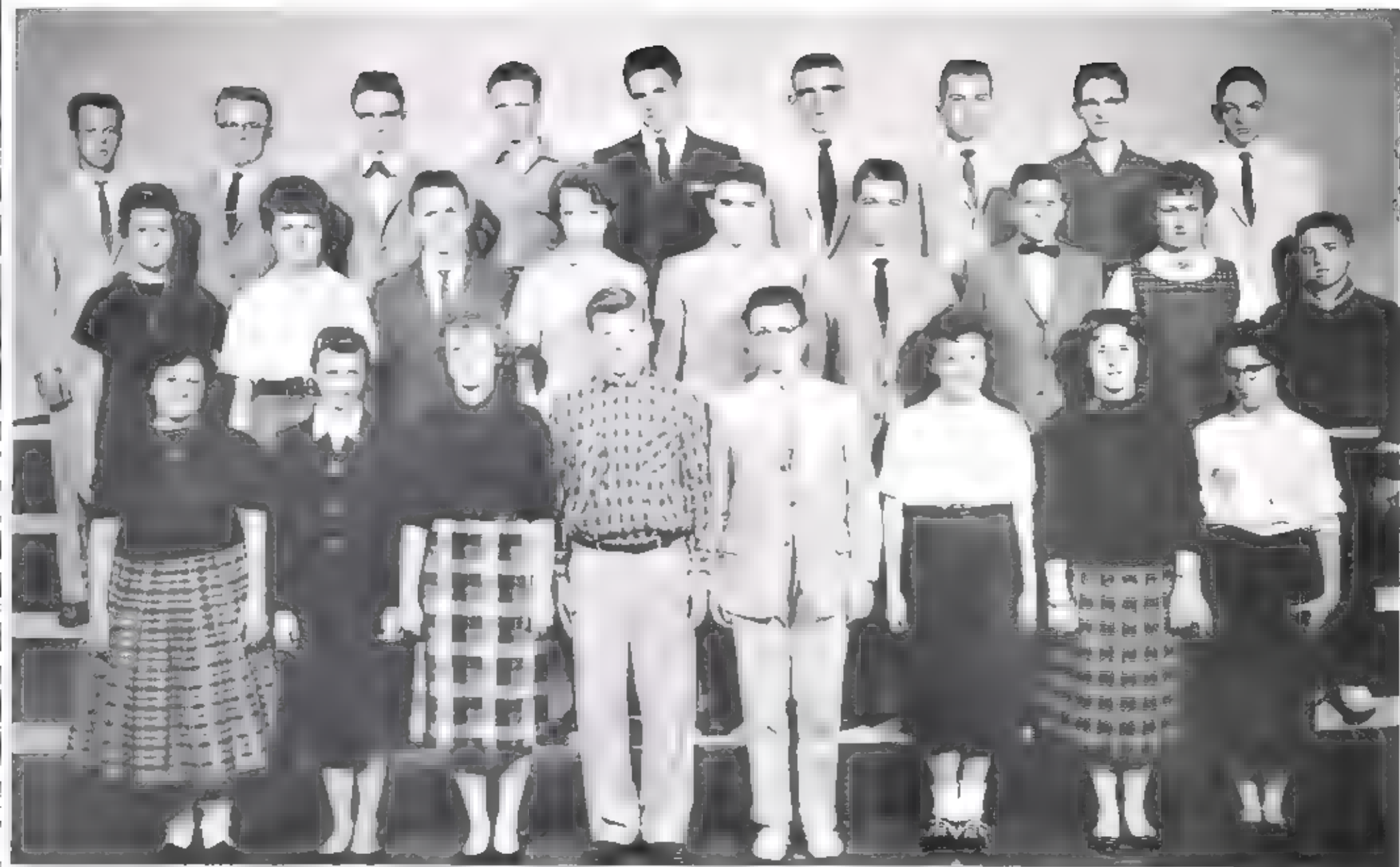
Vice-President--Alice Brown

Reporter--Darlene Harsein

Secretary--Judy Walgenbach

Advisor--Mrs. Nelson





Front Row, Barbara Mertel, Shirley Barry, Marcia Foltz, Ralph Cole, Paul Cofoid, Marian Olson, Ruth Hiltabrand, Pat Lewis. Second Row: Anna Duffell, Paula Walgenbach, Jim Goodbred, Ellen Keith, Larry Phelps, Dennis Arkels, Jim Bernardoni, Diane Fleming, Jim Lock. Third Row: Bill Gingerich, Gary Rowe, Jim Earles, Leonard, Lance, Mike Patterson, Dale Vogel, Bob Clark, Jon Barnhart, Myrle Sarver.

## CLASS OF 1963

### OFFICERS



President--Jon Barnhart  
Vice-President--Mike Patterson  
Secretary--Marcia Foltz  
Treasurer--Bob Clark  
Reporter--Anna Duffell  
Advisor--Mr. Clark



Br-r-r-r it's cold outside!



Front Row: Joan Schmitt, Alice Swift, Linda Mortenson, Curtis Ryan, Neva Kreiser, Sheri Calkins, Steve Kadelak. Second Row: Gloria Ralph, Patricia Arkels, Sae Ghrist, Lynda Mills, Kathy Brooker, Kathy Mareta, Wanda Siemers, Jane Schmitt. Third Row: Joe Bernardoni, John Barry, Gary Scott, Norma Gass, Dan Obermiller, Mary Smith, Dewayne Beaver, Madaleine Frangenberg. Fourth Row: Kathy Ploch, Carol Duff, Steve Zellmer, Bob Cooper, Larry Schaibley, Robert Johnson, Dennis Keen, Karon Calkins, Diane Foote.

## CLASS OF 1964

### OFFICERS



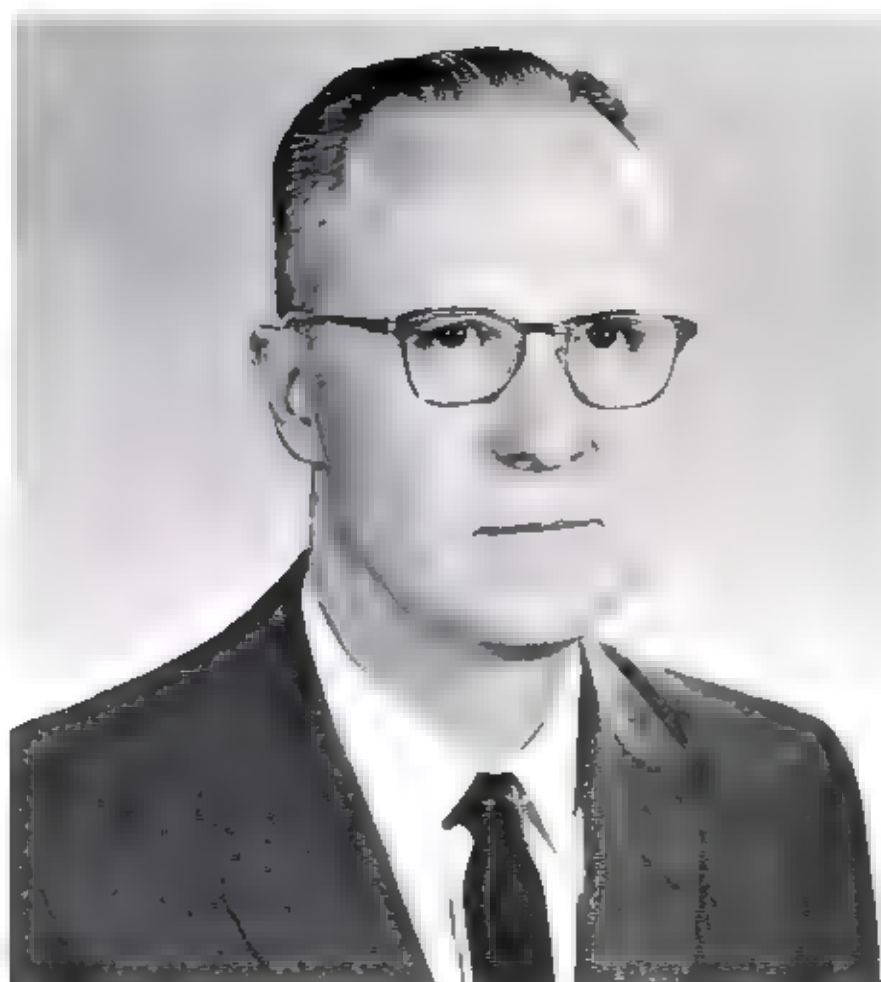
Initiation Winners



President--Lynda Mills  
Vice-President--Bob Johnson  
Secretary--Karon Calkins

Treasurer--Alice Swift  
Reporter--Mary Smith  
Advisor--Mr. Irvine





L. W. Earles  
Principal

## BOARD OF EDUCATION



Front Row. Mr. Robert Fetzner. Second Row: Mr. Lewis Barr, Mr. Bruce Steele, Mr. Miley Miler, Mr. Ralph Swift. Absent: Mr. Robert Siemers, Mr. Russell Alleman.



Slim, Bob, Chum, Kenny, Lefty, Herb.

BUS DRIVERS

SECRETARY



Mrs. Earles

## BEHIND THE SCENES STAFF

CUSTODIAN



"Lefty"

Mrs. Klehm, Mrs. Skinner, Mrs. Siemers, Mrs. Baker .



CAFETERIA





Mr. Alex Clark



Mr. George Irvine



Mr. James Loebach



Mr. Ray Rebuck

## 1960-1961 FACULTY



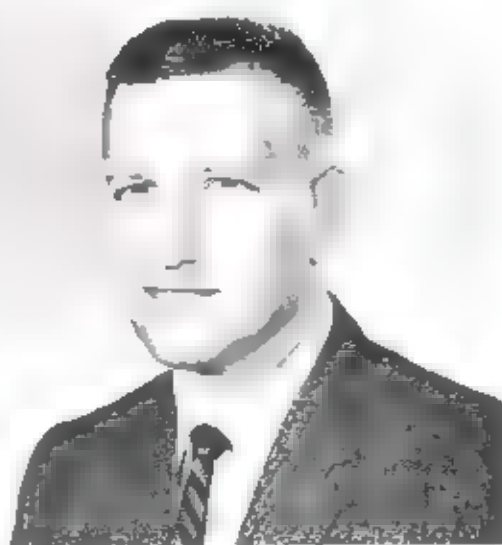
Mr. Kenneth Myler



Mrs. Marcia Nelson



Mrs. Frances Irvine



Mr. William Alleman



Mr. David Gilchrist

# ORGANIZATIONS







# MIRROR STAFF



Co-Editors--Judy Strack  
Ruth Dart  
Advisor--Mr. Irvine



## Staff Members:

Bonnie Brady  
Ruth Dart  
Judy Strack  
Katy Cooper  
Ruth Hiltabrand  
Kathy Sons  
Barbara Frederick



Who will the lucky winner be?





School Daze Staff

# SCHOOL DAZE

Editor--Rhoda Nicholson  
 Assistant Editor--Judy Walgenbach  
 Art Editor--Diana Clayburn  
 Sports Editor--Janet Farneti  
 Feature Editor--Sandy Siemers  
 F.F.A. News--Jerry Whalen  
 F.H.A. News--Judy Walgenbach  
 Band News--Duane Schafer  
 Student Council News--Sandy Siemers  
 Senior News--Katy Jo Cooper  
 Junior News--Darlene Harseim  
 Sophomore News--Anna Duffell  
 Freshman News--Mary Smith  
 Math Club--Bonnie Brady  
 Advisor--Mr. Myler





## FHA OFFICERS

President--Judy Strack  
 Vice-President--Barbara Frederick  
 Secretary--Ruth Dart  
 Treasurer--Rhoda Nicholson  
 Reporter--Judy Walgenbach  
 Program Chairman--Sandra Pryde  
 Parliamentarian--Ruth Redenius  
 Historians--Darlene Harseim,  
 Paula Walgenbach  
 Degree Chairman--Karen Cabal  
 Recreation Chairmen--Janet Farnett,  
 Kathleen Cooper  
 Advisor--Mrs. Nelson



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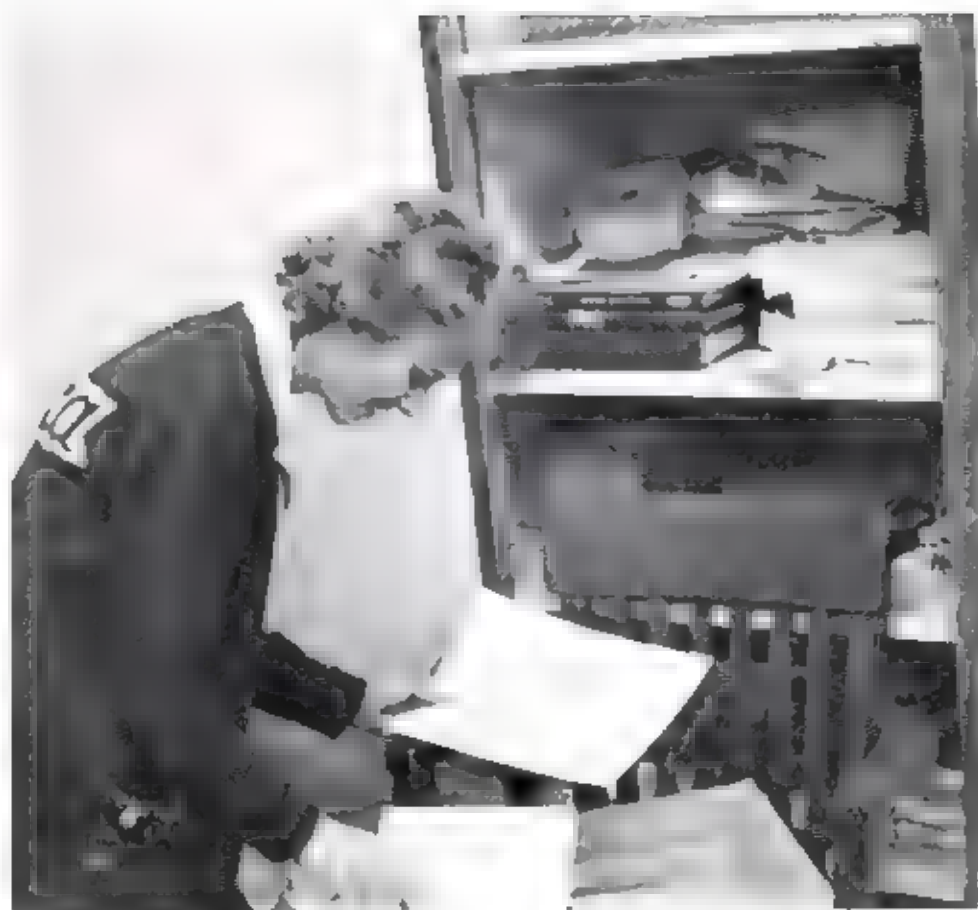


Toys Anyone?

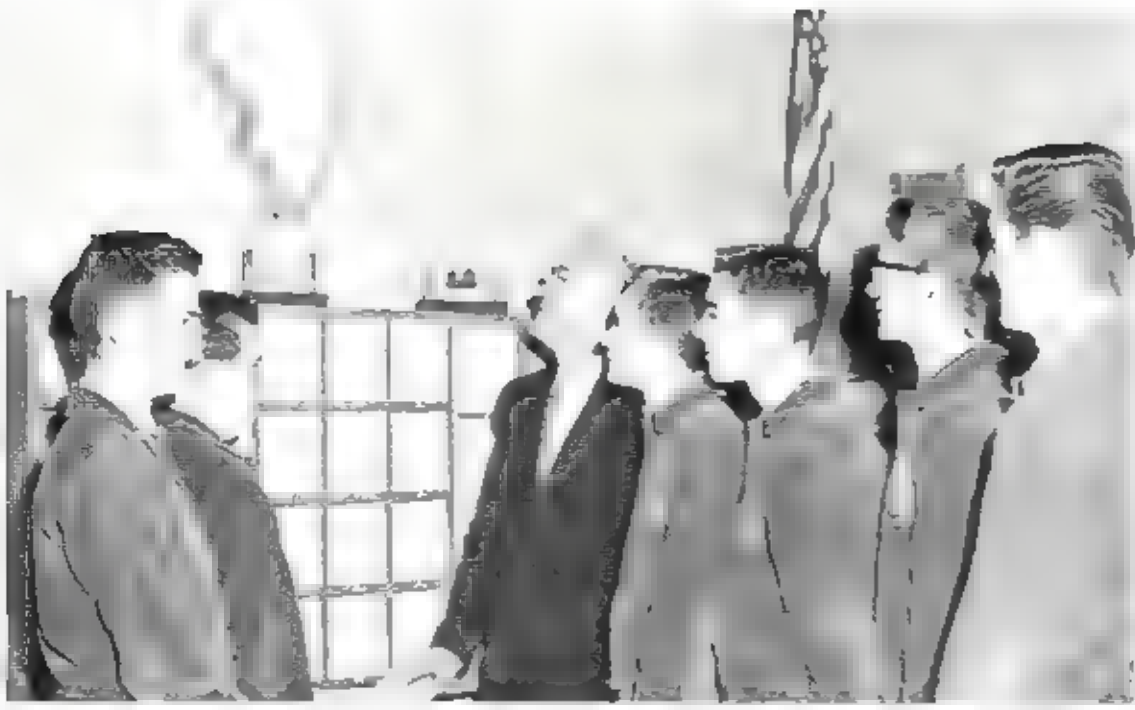
## F.H.A. IN ACTION



"Queen Judy and King Jim"



Busy At Work



#### FFA OFFICERS

President--Richard Ploch  
 Vice-President--Jim Sons  
 Secretary--Jim Ebner  
 Treasurer--Dale Jaegle  
 Reporter--Gerald Whalen  
 Sentinel--Sam Calkins  
 Advisor--Mr. G. O. Irvine



Front Row: Steve Kadelak, Dan Obermiller, Gerald Whalen, Gary Scott, John Barry, Ralph Cole, Jim Lock, Judy Strack.  
 Second Row: Jim Goodbred, Richard Ploch, Jim Sons, Gary Rowe, Myrle Sarver, Dennis Arkels, Bill Gingerich, Sam Calkins.  
 Third Row: Robert Johnson, Danny Vargochik, Dale Jaegle, Joe Olson, Dale Vogel, Jim Ebner, Kent Zimmerman, Steve Zellmer. (absent--Bill Sherman)





F.F. A. Hayrack Ride

## TONICA F.F.A. ACTIVITIES



F.F. A. Production Award Winners



Project Program.



Front Row: Sheri Calkins, Ruth Hiltabrand, Judy Strack, Sandy Siemers, Rhoda Nicholson, Sandy Pryde, Mr. Myler, Advisor. Second Row: Joe Bernardoni, Jim Earles, Richard Ploch, Duane Dauber, Bill Gingrich, Joe Olson, Jerry Skinner.

## STUDENT COUNCIL-They Lead the Way!



President--Duane Dauber  
Vice President- Jerry Skinner  
Secretary-Treasurer--Ruth Hiltabrand  
Reporter--Sandy Siemers



Santa Was Here!



T. C. H. S. Memories





Standing: Dennis Killen, Katy Cooper, Alice Brown, Shirley Barr, Janice Burgess, Marian Olson, Jerry Frangenberg, Seated: Mrs. Irvine, Advisor, Ellen Keith.

## LIBRARY STAFF



Information please?



Pay those fines!!



Librarians at work!

# ATHLETICS







# TONICA WARRIORS



Front Row: Kent Zimmerman, Duane Schafer, Managers: Dewayne Beavers, Paul Cofoid, Bill Gingerich, Myrle Sarver, Gary Rowe, Curtis Ryan, Dan Obermiller, Richard Minick. Second Row: Jim Goodbred, James Bernardoni, Bob Clark, Robert Johnson, Dale Jaegle, Mr. Bill Alleman, Coach; Joe Olson, Greg Fritz, Wayne Lance, David Aschinger, Joe Bernardoni.

# TONICA PONIES

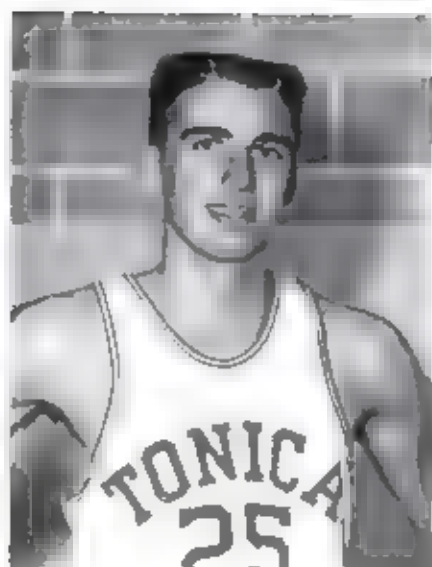


Front Row: Joe Bernardoni, Dan Obermiller, Dewayne Beaver, James Bernardoni, Paul Cofoid, Curtis Ryan. Second Row: Bill Gingerich, Myrle Sarver, Wayne Lance, Mr. Bill Alleman, Coach; Robert Johnson, Jim Goodbred, Gary Rowe.





Greg Fritz



Joe Olson



David Aschinger



Bob Clark

# MANAGERS



Kent Zimmerman and Dwayne Schafer



Dick Minick

# COACH



Mr. Bill Alleman



Wayne Lance



Dale Jaegle



Jim Bernardoni



Joe Bernardoni



Jim Goodbred



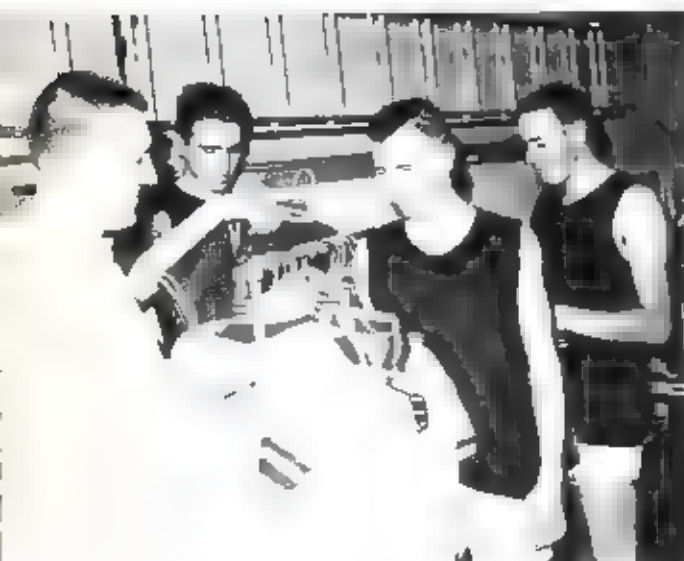
Congratulations boy's'



"Our Coach"



Jump Joe, Jump'



This ones yours.



Lets have some excitement!

## "BASKETBALL SNAPS"





Freshman-Sophomore Relay Team

## TRACK

1959 Track Squad



Draw Your Lane



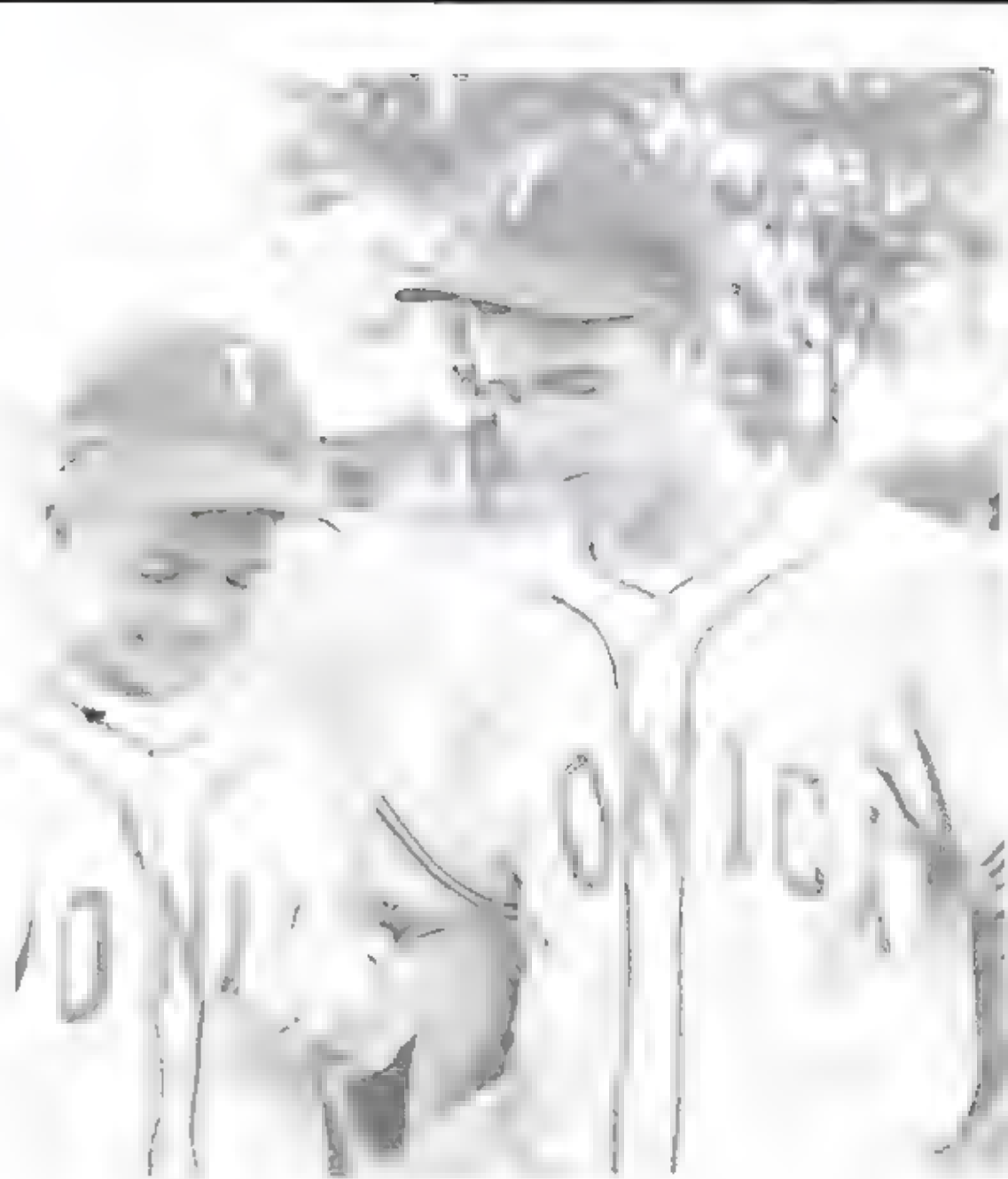
Heave!



A Mile is a Long Way



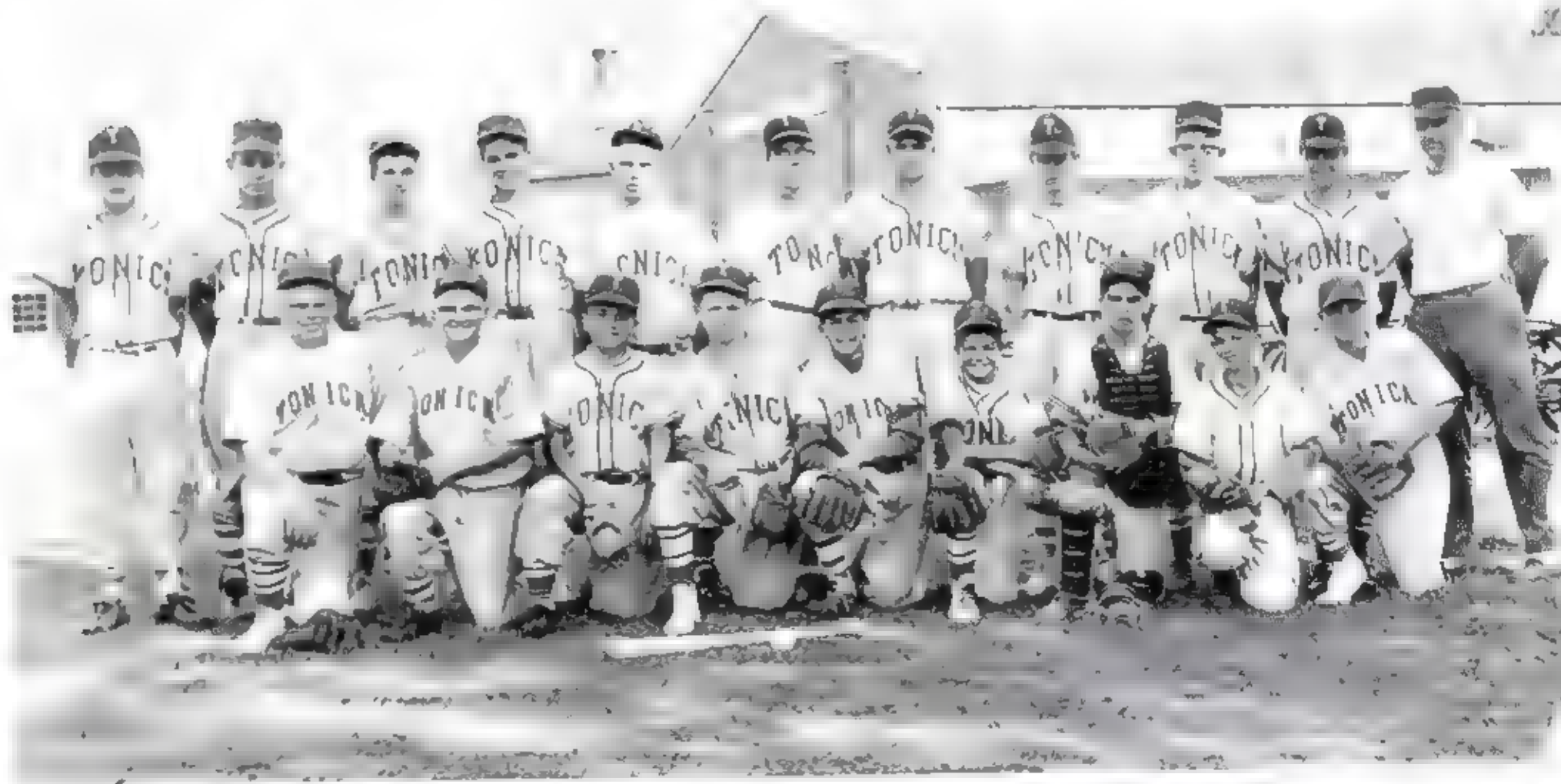
Rest Period



Autograph Please?

## BASEBALL

1960 Squad







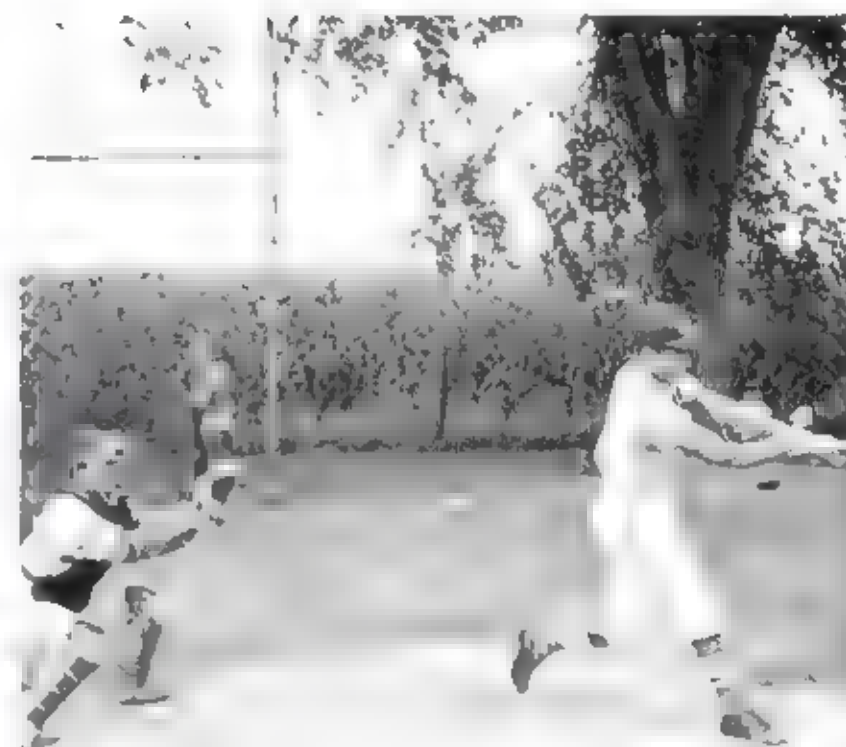
Infielders



Outfielders



Battery



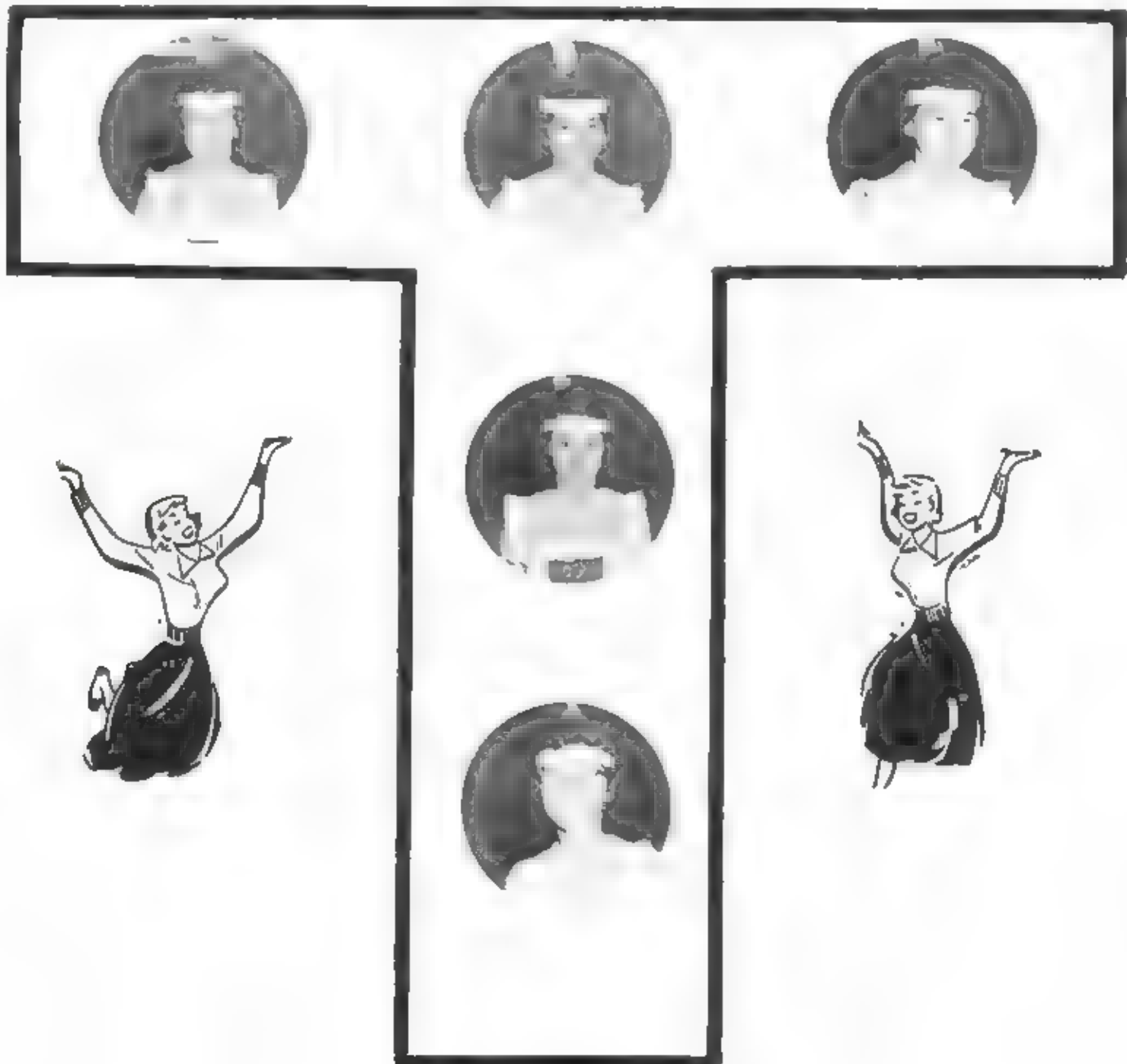
One More Down

Coach





Front Row: Rosemary Bernardoni, Vicki Clark, Shirley Barr. Second Row: Lynda Mills, Janet Farnetti, Alice Brown.







Study! Study! Study!



Is that any way to treat your "MIRROR"?

**SNAP**



**SHOTS**

Climbing the stairs to success!



Naughty! Naughty!



We've got our 'fiancee' to keep us warm!

# ACTIVITIES









Front Row: Rhoda Nicholson, Lynda Mills, Robert Siemers, Linda Woolcox, Ellen Keith, Diane Foote. Second Row: Carol Duff, Katherine Ashley, Janet Minuck, Janice Zellmer, Landa Mortenson, Nancy Mertel, Sharon Stillwell, Larry Stillwell, Danny Maack, Jim Sons, Barbara Mertel, Alice Swift, Marcia Folty, Michael Patterson. Third Row: Mary Smith, Sharon Terrill, Ruth Dart, Ruth Johnson, Karen Cabal, Alice Brown, Kenneth Zimmerman, Steve Zellmer, Robert Johnson, Duane Schafer, Bill Gingerich. Fourth Row: Larry Mills, Ruth Hiltabrand, Janice Burgess, Sandy Siemers, Judy Strack, Director, Ray Rebuck.

## CONCERT BAND

### OFFICERS



Disassembling Band



President--Ruth Ellyn Dart  
Vice-President--Alice Brown  
Secretary--Rhoda Nicholson  
Treasurer--Judy Strack  
Reporter--Duane Schafer





## MAJORETTES

Kathleen Cooper, Ruth Dart, Rhoda Nicholson

## MARCHING BAND





Front Row: Sheri Calkins, Jean Barr, Judy Walgenbach, Karen Cabal, Shirley Barry, Alice Swift, Pat Lewis, Phyliss Ferzer, Advisor Mr. Reduck. Second Row: Jerry Whalen, Joan Schmitt, Gail Schmitt, Olivia Frangenberg, Linda Kreiser, Sandy McLaughlin, Marian Olson, Ruth Hiltabrand, Shirley Barr, Dennis Keene. Third Row: Larry Schaibley, Loretta Topolski, Sharon Terrill, Ruth Dart, Kathy Mareta, Kathy Brooker, Lynda Mills, Jane Schmitt, Gloria Ralph, Judy Strack, Bob Johnson. Fourth Row: Robert Siemers, Barbara Frederick, Diana Clayburn, Ruth Johnson, Sandy Siemers, Betty Burgess, Mary Smith, Katy Cooper, Marcia Foltz, Duane Schafer. Fifth Row: Rhoda Nicholson, Diane Foote, Kathy Ploch, Ellen Keith, Sandra Pryde, Bonnie Brady, Karon Calkins, Carol Duff, Diane Fleming.

## CHORUS

### OFFICERS



President-Ruth Dart  
Vice-President-Rhoda Nicholson  
Librarians-Olivia Frangenberg, Sandra Pryde



### ENSEMBLE

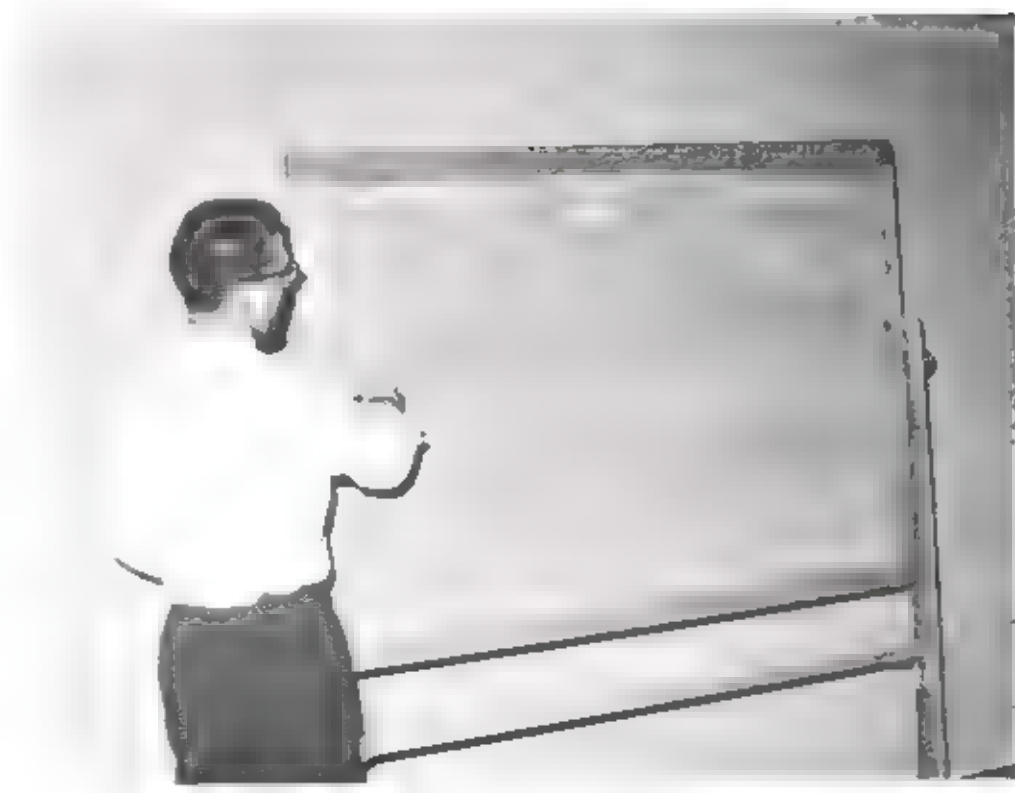
Diane Foote; Lynda Mills; Ruth Hiltabrand; Ruth Dart; Alice Swift; Carol Duff





"The Door"

# BAND SNAPS



Notice!



Just before the concert.



Why the cast?

## Grandad Steps Out

## PLAY CAST



Oogle--oog--I--I--ur--There's three 'l



## Messing Around





Help!! A "skelton"!



Hurry up, we need them!

# JUNIOR PLAY

## The Skelton Walks

Dr. Harold Fersig--JERRY WHALEN  
 Elaine Blair--SHARON TERRILL  
 Mrs. Madge Embrey--JUNE SIEMERS  
 Bobby Embrey--JIM EBNER  
 Kathleen Embrey--PHYLLIS FETZER  
 Bill Clayton--RICHARD MINICK  
 Anne Rowell--RUTH REDENIUS  
 Mrs. Eliza Hubbard--DUANE SCHIAFER  
 Olhe Hubbard--BONNIE BRADY  
 Mrs. Lilla Donahue--BARBARA FREDERICK  
 Director--MR. KENNETH MYLER

### PLAY CAST







Their royalty-Betty and Philip

## JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM

The Court



"Dreaming in Dreamland"





Workers



Catch a Falling Star

## PROM



## NIGHT

Freeloaders

Family Affair

Eat Don't Look





"Frosty the snowman"



Watch the Mistletoe!!!

## DANCES



"Queen Judy and Court"



Cha! Cha! Cha!





Who will get it?



"Oscar"



Cupid Helpers!



Gossip Session



Heat Wave



# SNAPS AROUND SCHOOL

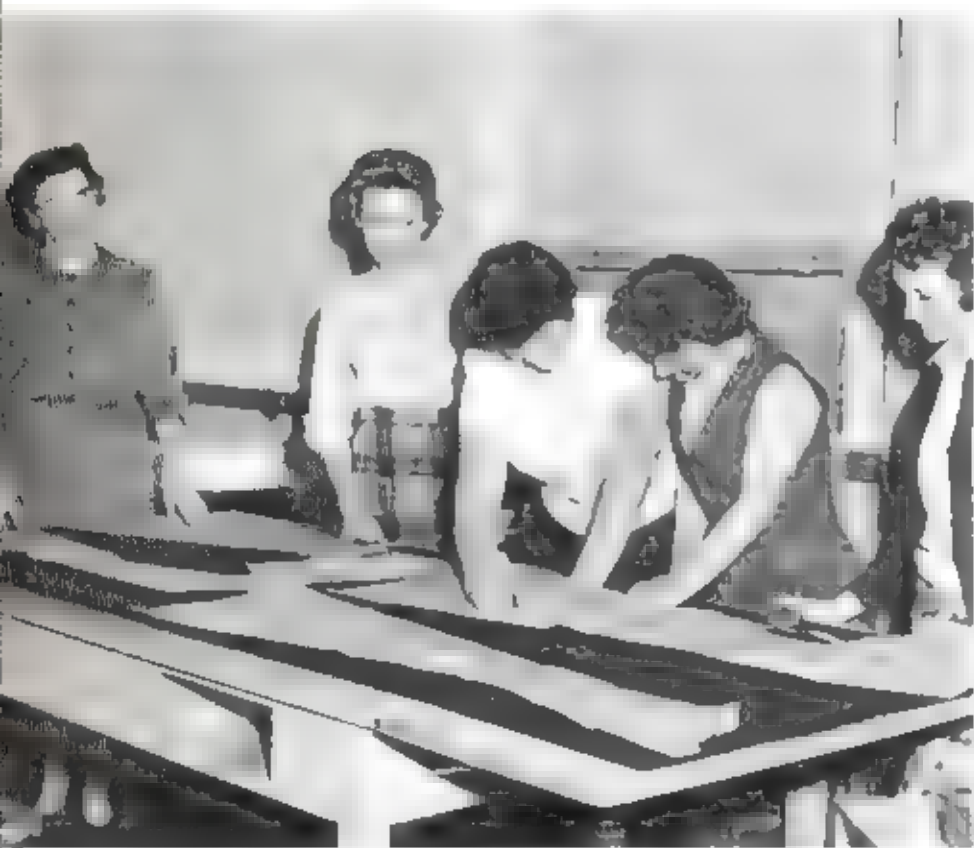
Winner

Important  
Information





Mr. Loebach's English Class



Mrs. Nelson's Home Economics Class



Study Hall



Mr. Irvine's Ag Class

## FURTHERING



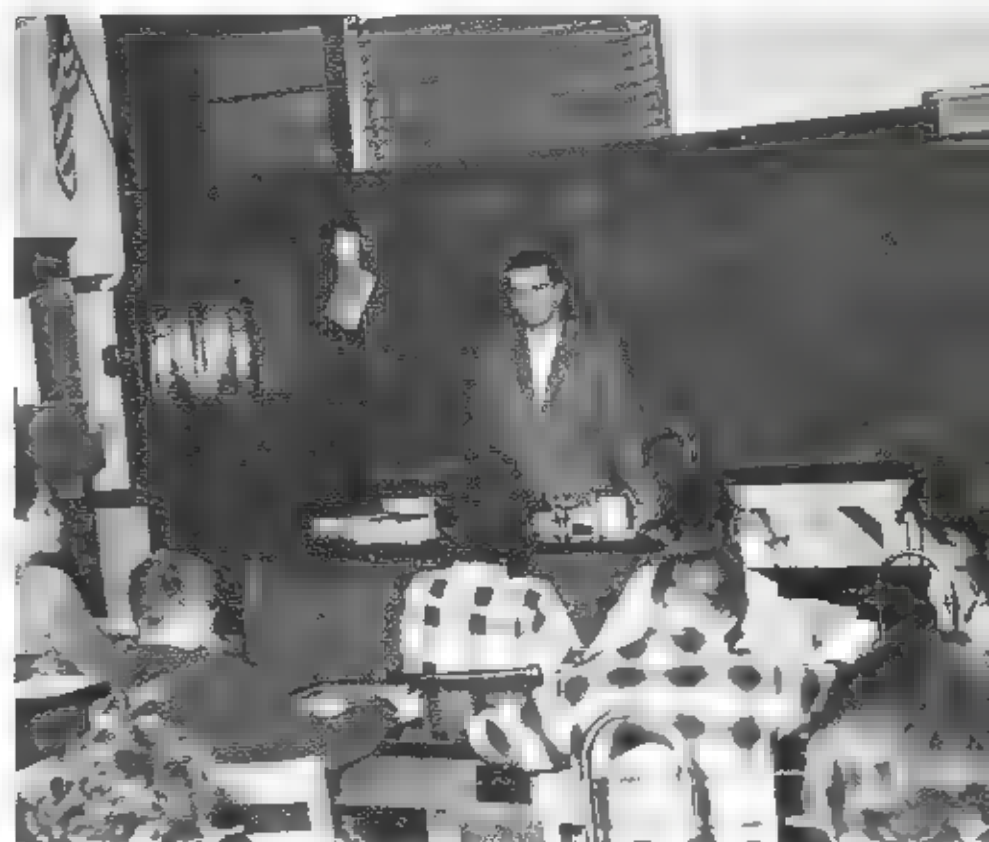
Mr. Rebuck's Lesson Period



Mr. Clark's Bookkeeping Class



Mr. Myler's Steno Class



Mr. Gilchrist's Science Class



Mrs. Irvine's French Class



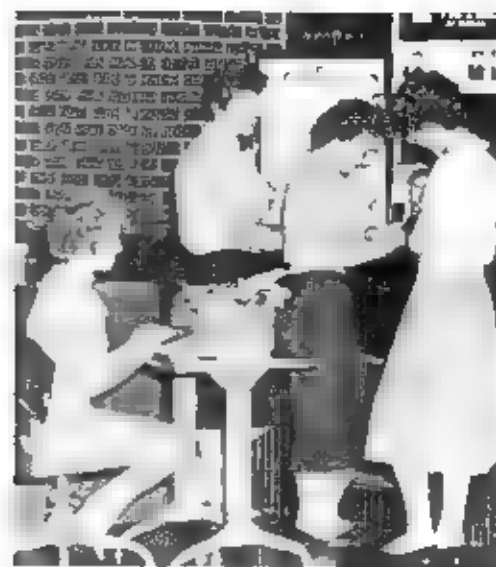
Mr. Alleman's History Class

## EDUCATION





Don't fall!



How many should I order?

## SENIORS IN ACTION

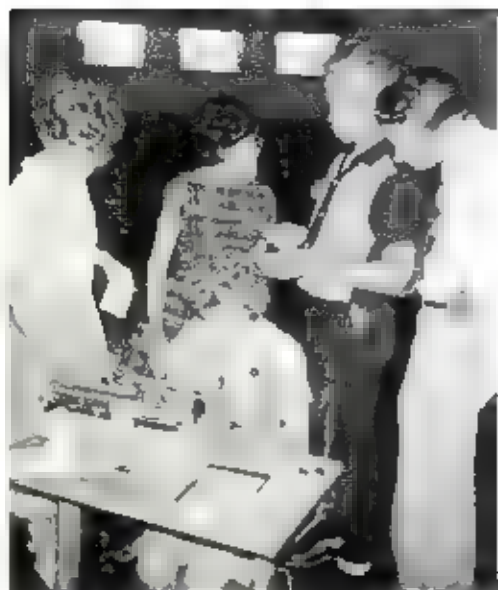


What's Russia got, that we don't have?



Yes, But????

"Have ink, Will draw"



That's  
"beautiful,"  
Girls!



# "LONG LONG AGO"



Ruth



Jim



Jerry



Sandy



Fred



Rhody



Jerry



Olivia



Greg



Susie



Karen



Judy



Dan



Katy



Muff



Joe



Sharon



Janice



Pip



Rose



Diana



Duane



Janet



Rich



Carol



Sandy

# SENIOR ACTIVITIES

- ROSEMARY BERNARDONI: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Student Council 1; Class Play 3-4; Cheerleader 2-3-4; School Daze 4.
- JANICE BURGESS: Band 1-2-3-4; Warriorettes 1-2-3; Reporter 3; Librarian 3-4; Class Secretary 2; Class Treasurer 4; F. H. A. 1-2; Pep Club 2; Science Club 3; School Daze 3-4; Class Play 3; Math Club 2.
- KAREN CABAL: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Recreation Chairman 3; Degree Chairman 4; Class Reporter 2; Treasurer 1; Class Play 4; School Daze 2-4; Pep Club 2; Band 1-2-3-4; Chorus 2-3-4.
- DIANA CLAYBURN: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 2; Class Play 3-4; School Daze 4; Art Editor 4.
- KATHLEEN COOPER: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Recreation Chairman 4; Class Play 3; Class Reporter 4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Majorette 3-4; Warriorettes 1-2-3; French Club 3; Pep Club 2; Math Club 2; Annual Staff 4; School Daze 4; Librarian 4.
- RUTH DART: Band 1-2-3-4; President 4; Dance Band 2; Drum Major 4; Majorette 3-4; Warriorette 1-2-3; Secretary 2; Chorus 1-2-3-4; President 4; Ensemble 2-3-4; F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Recreation Chairman 2; Treasurer 3; Secretary 4; Class Play 4; School Daze 4; Annual Staff 2-3-4; Photographer 3; Co-Editor 4; Pep Club 2.
- DUANE DAUBER: Class Vice-President 1-2; Student Council President 4.
- JANET FARNETI: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Recreation Chairman 2-4; Cheerleader 3-4; Band 1-2-3; Class Play 4; Librarian 2-3; School Daze 4; Sports Editor 4.
- JERRY FRANGENBERG: Class President 2-3-4; Class Play 3-4; Boy's Chorus 3; Track 2; Baseball 4; Basketball 2; Librarian 3-4.
- OLIVIA FRANGENBERG: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Chorus 3-4; Chorus Librarian 4; Class Play 4; Class Secretary 1; Student Council Representative 3; Student Council Secretary-Treasurer 3; Pep Club 2; School Daze 4; Math Club 2.
- GREG FRITZ: Basketball 1-2-3-4; Baseball 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; Class Play 3; Librarian 1.
- SUZANNE GASS: F. H. A. 1-2-4; School Daze 4; Class Play 3.
- SANDRA McLAUGHLIN: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Class Play 3-4; Pep Club 2; Librarian 2; School Daze 4.
- RHODA NICHOLSON: Band 1-2-3-4; Secretary 4; Dance Band 2; German Band 4; Majorette 3-4; Warriorette 1-2-3; Treasurer 2; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Vice-President 4; F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Treasurer 4; School Daze 3-4; Editor 4; Class Reporter 3; Class Play 3-4; Pep Club 2; Student Council 4.
- RICHARD PLOCH: F. F. A. 1-2-3-4; Treasurer 3; President 4; Class Play 3-4.
- SHARON SCHMITT: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Pep Club 2; School Daze 4; Class Play 3.
- CAROL SIEMERS: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Cheerleader 2-3; Class Play 4.
- SANDRA SIEMERS: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Recreation Chairman 3; Band 1-2-3-4; Class Play 3; Student Council Representative 4; Student Council Reporter 4; Librarian 2; School Daze 4; Feature Editor 4; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Ensemble 3; Pep Club 2.
- JERRY SKINNER: Class President 1; Class Vice-President 3; Student Council Representative 2-4; Student Council Vice-President 4; Class Play 3-4; Basketball 2.
- JOE SMITH
- JIM SONS: Band 1-2-3-4; Student Council Representative 2; Reporter 3; German Band 3-4; Chorus 3; F. F. A. 1-2-3-4; Sentinel 3; Vice-President 4; Class Play 4; Class Vice-President 4; Student Council Vice-President 3; Basketball 2; Baseball 1.
- JUDY SIRACK: Band 1-2-3-4; Reporter 2; Treasurer 3-4; Chorus 2-3-4; Majorette 3; Warriorettes 1-2-3; Treasurer 1; Secretary 3; Class Reporter 1; Class Secretary 3-4; Class Play 4; School Daze 1-2-4; Assistant Editor 2; F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Degree Chairman 2; Vice-President 3; President 4; Annual Staff 2-3-4; Assistant Editor 3; Co-Editor 4; Pep Club 2.
- FRED TOPOLSKI: Class Play 3; Boy's Chorus 3.
- DANNY VARGOCHIK: Class Play 3-4; Baseball 2-3.
- SHARON ZIMMERMAN: F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Class Play 3; School Daze 4; Pep Club 2.
- KENT ZIMMERMAN: Student Council Representative 1; F. F. A. 2-3-4; Baseball 1.



# CLASS WILL

We, the Senior Class of 1961, being of unsound mind, do hereby will and bequeath the following items to our former schoolmates.

- I, Rosemary Bernardoni, will my ability to ALWAYS get along with the teachers to Sandy Pryde.
- I, Janice Burgess, will my position in band to Ruth Hiltabrand, in hopes that she has as much fun as I did when I held this position.
- I, Karen Cabal, will my ability to get along with her older brother to Kathy Sons, in hopes that she does as well as I do.
- I, Diana Clayburn, will my position as Art Editor on the school paper to June Siemers, in hopes that she can improve it.
- I, Kary Cooper, will my ability to be able to study in study hall to Linda Kreiser.
- I, Ruth Darr, will to anyone who wants it anything I have in hopes that they may make better use of it than I did.
- I, Duane Dauber, will the ability to rod a hot rod to Bill Sherman.
- I, Janet Farnetti, will my ability to clown around in school to Barbara Frederick, in hopes that she, too, will have as much fun as I have had.
- I, Jerry Frangenberg, will my slyness in giving girls a ride on my brother's motorcycle to Dennis Killen, hoping he doesn't get caught again.
- I, Olivia Frangenberg, will my interest in P.E. to Phyliss Fetzner, in hopes that she does better than I did, especially in volleyball.
- I, Greg Fritz, will my ability to have trouble on the baseball field to Dick Minick.
- I, Suzanne Gass, will my shyness to Roberta Clearwater.
- I, Sandy McLaughlin, will my ability to grow long fingernails to Ruth Redenius.
- I, Rhoda Nicholson, will my ability to "giggle" anytime, anywhere, to Bonnie Brady.
- I, Richard Ploch, will my position in F.F.A. to Jim Ebner, in hopes that he might improve it.
- I, Sharon Schmitt, will my ability to discuss things in Home Economics class to Gail Schmitt.
- I, Carol Siemers, will my ability to get on teacher's nerves to Loretta Topolski.
- I, Sandy Siemers, will my ability to get along with a "Jerry" to Darlene Harseim, in hopes that she does as well as I do.
- I, Jerry Skinner, will 6 inches of my height to Jerry Whalen.
- I, Joe Smith, will my D.A. haircut to Chuck Siemers.
- I, Jim Sons, will my freckles to Sam Calkins, in hopes that he will be able to get rid of them.
- I, Judy Strack, will my ability to drive quietly out of my driveway to Alice Brown, in hopes that she, too will do the same.
- I, Fred Topolski, will my long hair to Ray Smith.
- I, Danny Vargochuk, will my ability to play baseball to Joe Olson.
- I, Kent Zimmerman, will my ability to play short stop to David Aschinger.
- I, Sharon Zimmerman, will my height to Judy Walgenbach, in hopes that she too can get as high in the world as I have.

THE SENIOR CLASS

OF 1961

# PROPHECY

Dear Mirror Staff of the year 2061:

Yesterday, Mrs. Penelope Starch, the superintendent of the Live Forever Rest Home, brought us your letter, inquiring about the members of the 1961 graduating class of T. C. H. S. Only two of us lived long enough to take advantage of the wonder-drug, invented in 2037, which will give us everlasting life. However, we have kept a complete file of information on each of our departed and beloved classmates. Listed below is a little information on each of them.

JANICE BURGESS: She was a great wrestler and finally won the world's woman's wrestling title.

KAREN CABAL: She became an archeologist and dug up the grave of Geronimo. However some of his Indian followers found out, and scalped her.

DIANA CLAYBURN: After many years of practice, she became one of the most famous drum players in the world.

KATHLEEN COOPER AND OLIVIA FRANGENBERG: They became famous trapeze artists and were known as "The Flying Wonders."

RUTH DART: A confirmed spinster, she finally formed her own chain of lonely hearts clubs.

DUANE DAUBER: While he was visiting South Africa, he decided that since people liked him so much there, he would stay and finally he turned into another Hitler.

JANET FARNETH: She visited Mars and while there fell in love with a little green man, thus starting a new generation of polka-dot kids.

JERRY FRANGENBERG: He designed a new motorcycle that went 600 M. P. H., and while riding on it, smashed into a wall. We haven't seen him since.

GREG FRITZ: After studying abroad for several years, he became a baritone opera singer.

SANDRA MCLAUGHLIN: She liked goats so much that she started a goat farm in Switzerland. She did all right until one day one butted her over a cliff.

RICHARD FLOCH: He became a girdle salesman. Needless to say, he enjoyed his work very much.

SHARON SCHMITT: Although she was always little, she chose taming wild gorillas as her occupation.

CAROL SIEMERS: She became a famous racing bicyclist, but one day she was caught speeding down the Pasadena Freeway, and was never allowed to race again.

SANDRA SIEMERS: She owned a huge estate in England. While strolling on it one day, she fell into a mud puddle and drowned.

JERRY SKINNER: He built the smallest sports car in the world. He got caught in it one day and had to spend the rest of his life wearing it.

JOE SMITH: He started a tea shop and spent the rest of his life serving tea and crumpets to beatniks.

JIM SONS: He opened his own beauty salon and became one of the greatest consultants on hair styles, that the world has ever known.

JUDY STRACK: She was a famous racer until the age of 65. She then settled down and married Khrushchev's grandson.

FRED TOPOLSKI: He was the first man to go to the moon. However he ate too much cheese and suffered from indigestion all the rest of his life.

DAN VARGOCHIK: He used all his money fixing up his racer for the Indianapolis 500--lost--and was put on relief.

SHARON ZIMMERMAN: She became a famous ballet dancer, and while she was practicing one day, a sand bag fell on her head and injured her brain for life.

KENT ZIMMERMAN: He was one of the greatest professors that Yale University ever had.

Well, that's just about it; we hope that this will be of use to you, and that you now have everything that you need to complete your 2061 MIRROR.

Sincerely yours,

Rosemary Bernardoni  
Rhoda Nicholson



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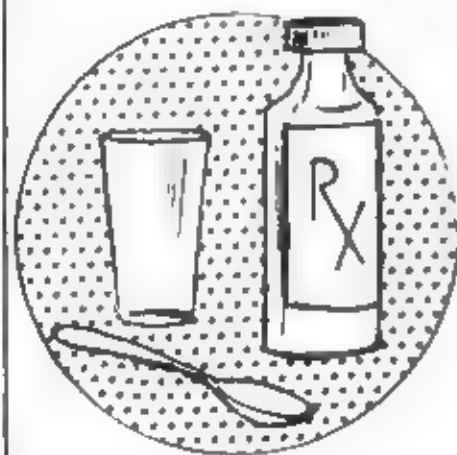
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With school days nearly over--the future is now,  
For a moment we pause, if time will allow,  
To think of our school years and all our fun,  
as soon we'll be graduating one by one.

With diploma in hand and tears in our eyes,  
We'll say our farewells and reluctant good-byes.  
One phrase of life has come to an end  
the future for us, on us must depend.

There will be for some, more schooling ahead;  
Though most will take jobs and soon will be wed.  
But each in traveling his unknown road,  
will have joy and sorrow on him bestowed.

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